

1      CLAIMS

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3      What I claim as my invention is:

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5      1. A shower caddy fastener for securely attaching a shower caddy to a showerhead pipe,  
6      said shower caddy fastener comprising;

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8      a. a band,

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10     b. attachment means for connecting one end of said band to the opposite end of said band,  
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13     c. holding means attached to said band for securely holding a shower caddy on said band.

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15     2. The fastener of claim 1 wherein said band is formed of a suitable no-slip material that  
16     is flexible and elastic.

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18     3. The fastener of claim 1 wherein the thickness of said band is shallow relative to the  
19     length and width of said band and the length of said band is long relative to the width of  
20     said band.

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22     4. The fastener of claim 1 wherein said attachment means is further defined as  
23     comprising an aperture in the front end of said band.

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25     5. The fastener of claim 1 wherein said attachment means is further defined as  
26     comprising an upward protrusion integrally formed on the rear end of said band.

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28     6. The fastener of claim 1 wherein said holding means is further defined as comprising an  
29     upward protrusion integrally formed on the rear end of said band.

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1      7. The fastener of claim 1 wherein said protrusion comprising holding means and said  
2      protrusion comprising attachment means are physically the same protrusion.

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4      8. The fastener of claim 4 wherein said aperture of said attachment means is sized to fit  
5      closely and securely around said upward protrusion of said attachment means.

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7      9. The fastener of claim 5 wherein said attachment means is further defined as  
8      comprising a ledge, attached to and protruding perpendicularly from the front surface of  
9      the said upward protrusion of said attachment means.

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11     10. The fastener of claim 8 wherein elastic properties of said band permit said band to  
12    stretch such that said aperture of said attachment means fits over said ledge.

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14     11. The fastener of claim 9 wherein said ledge is positioned parallel to and above the top  
15    surface of said band at a height which permits the portion of said band that forms the  
16    front edge of said aperture to fit between said ledge and the surface of said band below  
17    said ledge.

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19     12. The fastener of claim 6 wherein said holding means is further defined as comprising a  
20    cylindrical cavity extending lengthwise through the upper portion of said protrusion of  
21    said holding means.

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23     13. The fastener of claim 12 wherein said cylindrical cavity is further defined as having  
24    open circular ends, which face the front and rear ends of said band.

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26     14. The fastener of claim 13 wherein a lengthwise opening in one side wall of said  
27    protrusion extends the entire length of said protrusion and is positioned above the top  
28    surface of said ledge and opens to said cylindrical cavity.

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30     15. The fastener of claim 14 wherein the top wall enclosing said cylindrical cavity tapers  
31    in thickness as it approaches its termination at the said lengthwise opening.